

TO COAL BANKS.

Madisonville Road to Be the Next Acadamized.

Contractor Duke is to Be Put to Work On North Christian Highway.

Work on the Church Hill pike is to be stopped and Contractor C. G. Duke, who had the work in hand, has been transferred to the Madisonville road and practically all of the work done on pikes this year will be concentrated on this road, which will be built in the direction of the coal banks.

This road has been metaled a few miles from town, but Judge Fowler, backed by the present Fiscal Court, will put all the money spent in building new roads this season into this main North Christian road.

Although the Cox Mill road is a very important one and should by all means be macadamized, the Madisonville road is one of general importance and its improvement will be a benefit to people all over the county, who haul coal in wagons. It will of course disappoint the people of Church Hill, who were aiding in the construction of their pike, to have work stopped on it and its completion indefinitely postponed, but a great many people believe with Judge Fowler that the Madisonville road should have been one of the first ones improved when the roads were freed, although the North Christian people violently opposed the turnpike tax and few of them voted for it.

BROTHER KILLS BROTHER.

In Self-Defense Charles Slays Al Davidson at Clarksville.

Clarksville, Tenn., Feb. 13.—Charles Davidson last night shot and killed his brother, Al Davidson at the home of their father, Ben Davidson, on Base Ball Hill. From the testimony given before the coroner's jury the killing was justifiable and was done in self-defense. Charles Davidson gave himself up and spent the night in custody with Deputy Sheriff Welker at his home, a few hundred yards from the scene of the killing.

The dead man was a painter by trade and was known as a peaceable citizen when sober, but had the reputation of being a bad man when drunk. He is the same man who killed Bill Lever some years ago.

Charles Davison is a bartender and conducts the East End saloon beyond Eleventh street for his brother, Frank. He served in the Philippines with Company A, of the First Tennessee. He was a good soldier and has always been a peaceable citizen.

TILLMAN GIVES HIS VERSION.

Former Lieutenant Governor Accused of Murder Pleads Self-Defense.

Newberry, S. C., Feb. 12.—Hearing on the application for bail for former Lieutenant Governor Tillman, charged with the murder of N. G. Gonzales, was postponed to Feb. 19 to-day. In his affidavit Tillman says he was maligned and threatened by Gonzales, that Gonzales had inquired for him the day of the shooting which was due to fear that his life was in danger. Other affidavits supported the document.

CAT SCRATCH CAUSES DEATH.

Slight Wound Causes Blood Poisoning and Michigan Farmer Dies.

Niles, Mich., Feb. 12.—Henry Conklin, a well-known retired farmer, is dead as a result of a cat scratch on his hand. About a week ago Mr. Conklin was stroking a pet cat, when the animal, in a spirit of playfulness, scratched his finger. Blood poisoning set in soon after, the hand swelling causing the sufferer intense pain.

When the breath is foul and the appetite disordered, Prickly Ash Bitters is the remedy needed. It purifies the stomach, liver and bowels, sweetens the breath, promotes vigor and cheerfulness. R. C. Hardwick, Special Agent.

Here and There.

Dr. Yates fits glasses. Ham sacks now on sale at this office.

Buy your ham sacks at KENTUCKIAN office.

Registered Jersey bull fee \$1. R. W. WARE.

Get your umbrellas fixed by W. A. Woods, 13 9th St.

Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Wild Goose Liniment cures rheumatism and neuralgia. 25c at all druggists.

Have your furniture repaired and mirrors resilvered now. It will be cheaper than after the spring rush begins. W. A. Woods.

William Olmstead, a boy incendiary, was convicted at Evansville last Thursday of burning about \$10,000 worth of property, and sentenced to serve from 1 to 21 years in prison.

The case of the Commonwealth vs. J. B. Lindee, Wade McIntosh and Ed Johnson, charged with the murder of two union miners, was called at Madisonville Wednesday but owing to the absence of several important witnesses who have smallpox, the case was continued until next court.

Those desiring life insurance will find it to their interest to investigate the plans and record of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company of Newark, N. J. No stockholders. All profits divided among policy holders. It is conspicuous for economical management, liberality of its policy contract, fair-dealing with its members and large annual dividends to reduce cost of your insurance. WALLACE & MOORE, Agents.

COMPROMISE OFFER.

Regular Delaware Republicans Agree to One Addicks Senator.

Dover, Del., Feb. 13.—The regular Republicans have agreed to the election of one Republican Senator and one Addicks Republican Senator. The proposition states that the Union Republican Senator must not be J. Edward Addicks.

RIPE OLD AGE.

Nonagenarian Passes Away After Brief Illness.

Mr. S. H. Henderson died at his home near Pilot Rock last Wednesday, aged 91 years. He was a highly respected citizen and had accumulated a large estate. He was a member of the Primitive Baptist church. The interment took place at Ebenezer church last Thursday.

Union Miners Convicted.

Moss and Bailey, the negro miners who were charged with holding up non-union miners in September, 1901, were found guilty at Madisonville. Moss was given two years in prison and Bailey one.

Meat House Robbed.

Mr. N. A. Barnett's meat house was entered by thieves last Friday night and a quantity of bacon carried off. The haul included ten fine hams.

Delicate, Delicious Dish For Breakfast.

Superior to Oatmeal as Wheat does not overheat the blood; Economical, costing less than 1 cent each person when cooked as mush.

WHEATLET

Is absolutely the Best Cereal Food in the world. Uncooked by steam it retains the Rich Nut-like Flavor of wheat in its natural condition.

Sold in 1 lb packages by All Leading Grocers.

FRANKLIN MILLS CO., LOCKPORT, N. Y.

HAND BADLY MANGLED.

More Than Half of the Member Cut Off.

Mr. Samuel W. Hadden, an employe of the Forbes Manufacturing Company, got his right hand badly mangled Friday morning. He was operating a universal wood-worker when in some way his hand was caught. The thumb and the two first fingers were cut off. It was at first thought that amputation of the hand would be necessary, but it is now believed that a portion of the member, including two fingers, can be saved.

BOUGHT LIVERY BUSINESS.

Mr. H. H. Golay Buys Out Layne & Moseley.

Mr. H. H. Golay has purchased the livery business of Layne & Moseley and took possession yesterday.

Messrs. Layne & Moseley will continue in the business of buying and selling stock.

Entertained Little Friends.

Master John Lawson entertained a number of his little friends at the home of his parents on South Main Friday night. Fruits were served and all had a most enjoyable time.

W. T. Cooper & CO.,
Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

Opposite Court House
Phone 116.

SCANDAL CROPS OUT.

An Old Man and His Young Niece Disappear.

Bowling Green, Ky., Feb. 14.—John Willis Morgan, aged 65, and his niece, Miss Neaky Morgan aged 18, are missing and are said to have eloped together.

The disappearance of the pair has created a sensation.

Died, Aged 94.

Joe Lander, an aged colored man, died at his home in Gainesville Friday. He came to Christian from Clark county with the Lander family, in 1818 and lived in the Old Bellevue neighborhood for many years. He was 94 years old and had been living near this city since 1870. Deceased was the grandfather of R. N. Lander, the attorney, and was respected by all who knew him.

For a clear complexion, bright sparkling eye and vigorous digestion, take Prickly Ash Bitters. It puts the system in perfect order. R. C. Hardwick, Special Agent.

Personal Gossip.

Miss Susie Tate, of Clarksville, is the guest of Mrs. E. P. Russell. Miss Eva Stephens, of Sinking Fork, is visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. H. M. Frankel has gone to New York to buy spring goods for Frankel's store.

Mr. J. T. Wall is in New York selecting spring stock. He will be absent about a month.

Misses Annie and Nellie Meacham have returned from a visit to friends at Crofton.

Mrs. H. L. McPherson entertained at lunch Friday night, with sixteen guests present.

Mr. Edmund Starling left last night for Seattle, Wash., to make his future home.

Miss Zilpah Walker, of Paducah, is visiting Mrs. E. P. Fears, on West Seventh street.

Esq. W. T. Williamson has returned from a visit of two weeks to his son, Harvey, in Indian Territory.

□ Mrs. Jas. Y. Cabaniss, of Evansville, who had been visiting Mrs. C. G. Layne, returned home last Friday.

Mr. Geo. C. Long returned Saturday night from Minneapolis, where he went to attend a convention of the National Game and Fish Association.

Mr. John L. Atkins, who has been making his home in Texas for a year or more, returned to Hopkinsville last week, where he will reside.

A LA ROOSEVELT.

Utah's New Mormon Republican Senator Distinguishes Himself.

Salt Lake City, Feb. 13.—Considerable comment and criticism has been aroused in Utah following the action of Senator-elect Reed Smoot in seating some negroes at a banquet with white people and having white girls serve them. He is quoted as saying in explanation: "If President Roosevelt is not too good to entertain a colored man at the White House, I don't see why I should not have colored people as my guests."

The occasion at which this incident took place was the banquet given last night by Apostle and Mrs. Smoot to the members of the Legislature and State officials. Invitations were given the officers of both houses of the Legislature. One of the doorkeepers of the lower house is a negro. He took his wife and two friends, with their wives. Another man is editor of a weekly paper for colored people and the third is employed as a porter.

They went to the banquet and seated themselves beside some white people. Some of the guests rose and went to another table. Others, however, remained next the colored contingent.

The waiters were white girls. Several of them refused to wait on the negroes, but finally two agreed to do so. Senator Smoot himself superintended the seating arrangements.

The family that keeps on hand and uses occasionally the celebrated Prickly Ash Bitters is always a well regulated family. R. C. Hardwick, Special Agent.

Holland's Opera House
ONE NIGHT,
Wed. Feb. 18

Fred Raymond's Latest Melodramatic Success

Old Arkansas.

F. O. Ireson, Francis Owen and Other Well-Known Artists in the Cast.

A Grand Scenic Production. New and Startling Mechanical Effects.

The Famous "Blue Cut" Hold Up Mob Law in Arkansas and Jail Breaking Scene. New Specialties Added.

Prices, 25, 35, 50 and 75c. Seats on sale Postal Telegraph Office.

What a Man Soweth That Shall He Also Reap...

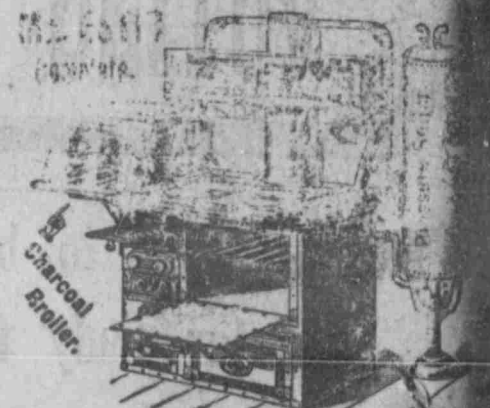
When a farmer sows Clover he'll get clover, when he sows Buckhorn he'll get buckhorn, when he sows Wild Onions, Wild Onions will be the result. The moral is obvious. You can't be too careful in buying Clover Seed and Oats. We have some nice Burt Oats, also White Oats and Mixed Oats. Bottom prices, quality considered.

--THE--

Mogul Wagon.

Another article of farm use that should be bought only of the best is a wagon. When you have got the "Mogul" you've got the best. When your way is rough and the load heavy, rely upon the Mogul, for when it leaves home with its burden it will get there and back safe and sound.

Majestic Range..

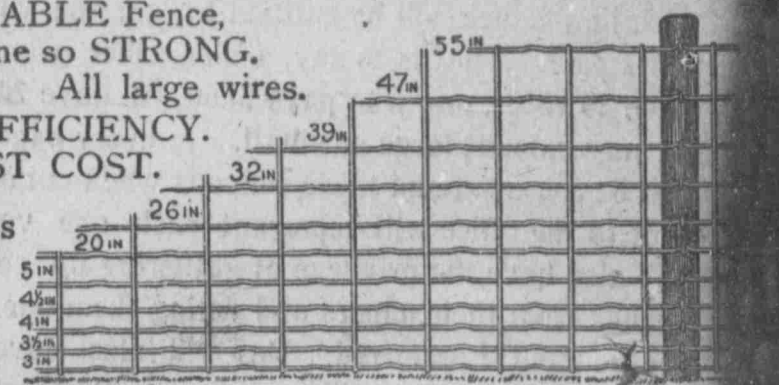


Another article that has won us the gratitude of very many of our customers, as many as have used them, is the Majestic Range. There are 500 of them in use in this county and we are constantly putting out new ones. Every one sticks and makes the housekeeper happy.

Humane Wire

DISTRIBUTING DEPOT FOR
"PITTSBURGH PERFECT" FENCES
ALL GALVANIZED STEEL WIRES.
FOR FIELD, FARM AND HOG FENCING.
THE ONLY ELECTRICALLY WELDED FENCE.
EVERY ROD GUARANTEED PERFECT.

The DURABLE Fence,
None so STRONG.
All large wires.
Highest EFFICIENCY.
LOWEST COST.



No Wraps to hold Moisture and cause Rust.

"PITTSBURGH PERFECT" FENCING. (Special Style.)

Absolutely STOCK PROOF. We can SAVE YOU MONEY on Fencing. CALL AND SEE IT.

The day of barbed wire, we are glad say will soon be past. The fine stock Christian, Todd and Trigg counties is worth of a better fate than being cut to pieces of barbed wire. We have sold several carloads already this season of woven wire fencing. We handle both the Pittsburgh Perfect and the Ellwood. Above you see the cut of the Pittsburgh Perfect. We keep barbed wire full stock of it, for those whose farms command it. Also Smooth Wire in all sizes. Famous Waukegan, which will outwear any other wire on the market.

Forbes Manufacturing Co.

Successors to Forbes & Bro.